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SUBJECT : Withdrawal from Issue of Application No. 10/009,331

Applicant(s) : Yoichiro Sako et al  
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The above-identified application has been assigned Patent No. 7,376,589 and an issue date of May 20, 2008.

It is hereby directed that this application be withdrawn from issue at the request of the applicant. Do not refund the issue fee.

The following erratum should be published in the Official Gazette if the above-identified application is published in the OG of May 20, 2008:

"All reference to Patent No. 7,376,589 to Yoichiro Sako et al of Japan for INFORMATION SERVICE METHOD FOR PURCHASING UTILIZING A REMOTE CONTROL appearing in the Official Gazette of May 20, 2008 should be deleted since no patent was granted."

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